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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

At column 6, line 47 (Approx.), delete “monopQlar” and insert -- monopolar --, therefor.

At column 9, line 5 (Approx.), delete “leads-in” and insert -- leads in --, therefor.

At column 10, line 22 (Approx.), delete “appostion” and insert -- apposition --, therefor.

At column 15, line 36 (Approx.), delete “atruamatic” and insert -- atraumatic --, therefor.

At column 18, line 51 (Approx.), after “claims” insert -- . --.

At column 18, line 57 (Approx.) which is the 5th line of Claim 1, after “vein” insert -- independently of the elongate member --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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